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To All Tenderers,

Subject: Responding to tender questions in Public Call for urgent procurement of respiratory machines for prevention and fight against COVID-19 in a state of emergency

Dear Sirs,

The Commission within the MoH, in charge for proceeding upon the Public Call for urgent procurement of respiratory machines for prevention and fight against COVID-19 in a state of emergency, has received the following questions from interested bidder:

Question (quote):

Having in mind the available respiratory resources on the market which have higher quality and fulfill the criteria ICU, but hence exceed the price, will the Commission accept higher prices of not more than 20% than the envisaged ones in the tender documents?

Answer: The proposal is not accepted.

Explanation: Pursuant article 3 of the Legislative Act for urgent procurement of respiratory machines for prevention and fight against COVID-19 in a state of emergency, "maximum budgeted allocated for procurement per respiratory machine is 25.000 Euro, without additional fees". Any bid exceeding the allocated unique maximum price shall be rejected by the Commission as per point III of the Public Call.

Question (quote):

Having in mind the situation and the huge transport expenses, is it possible to determine minimum quantity of 100 machines per bidder?

Answer: The proposal is not accepted.

Explanation: The maximum quantity is defined in point 1 of the Public call and the bidders are not limited regarding the minimum quantity only to maximum quantity. (200). In such way we give opportunity for more bidders to apply to the public call and depending on the offered quantities, the MoH shall conclude one or more contracts until final fulfilment of the maximum quantity.